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Lake Superior Court, Civil Division 6

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STATE OF INDIANA)	IN THE LAKE SUPERIOR COURT NO. 5
LAKE COUNTY)	CAUSE NO.
INDRA JAIN and)
SUSHIL JAIN)
c/o SWEENEY JULIAN P.C.)
1620 South Bend Avenue)
South Bend, IN 46617,)
Plaintiffs,)
v.)
KENNETH KNIGHT)
W7936 Cloverleaf Lake Road	, ·
Clintonville, WI 54929, and	j
LCK TRANSPORT, LLC)
c/o Lisa Kielblock)
Registered Agent	,)
10368 State Highway 49)
Rosholt, WI 54473,)
)
Defendants.)

PLAINTIFFS' COMPLAINT FOR DAMAGES AND JURY DEMAND

Plaintiffs Indra Jain and Sushil Jain, by counsel, for their Complaint against the Defendants Kenneth Knight and LCK Transport, LLC states as follows:

1. On October 25, 2020, at approximately 4:50 p.m., Plaintiff Indra Jain was driving a 2010 Toyota Corolla eastbound on I-80 East near mile marker 15.3 in Lake Station, Lake County, Indiana. Sushil Jain was a restrained front passenger in this vehicle at that time and place.

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- 2. At that time, Defendant Kenneth Knight was driving a 2007 Kenworth semi-truck also eastbound on I-80 East near mile marker 15.3 in Lake Station, Lake County, Indiana.
- 3. As Plaintiffs' vehicle slowed with traffic, Defendant Knight failed to control his vehicle and drove directly into the rear of Plaintiffs' vehicle causing a violent collision.
- 4. Defendant Kenneth Knight was negligent when he followed too closely, failed to maintain a proper lookout, drove too fast for the conditions, became distracted while driving, failed to maintain his vehicle, and/or failed to operate his vehicle in a safe and reasonable manner.
- 5. At all relevant times, Defendant Knight was operating his vehicle within the course and scope of his employment with Defendant LCK Transport, LLC.
- 6. Defendant LCK Transport, LLC is vicariously liable for actions and omissions of its employee, Kenneth Knight, through the doctrine of Respondent Superior.
- 7. The collision described in paragraph 3 above was caused by the negligence of Defendants Kenneth Knight and LCK Transport, LLC.
- 8. As a direct and proximate result of the negligence of the Defendants, the Plaintiffs have sustained and will continue to sustain damages which include, but are not limited to:
 - A. Past and future pain and suffering;

- B. Past and future medical bills;
- C. Past and future economic loss;
- D. Lost Wages;
- E. Loss of the ability to function as a whole people; and

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs, Indra Jain and Sushil Jain, pray for:

- 1. Trial by Jury;
- 2. The costs of this action;
- 3. Full compensation for the injuries sustained; and
- 4. Any and all just relief in the premises.

Respectfully submitted:

SWEENEY • JULIAN

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